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Welcome to Concordia

A Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod Congregation

If you are our guest, please fill out a visitor card (in the pew rack behind the Communion cards) and either place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher after the service. If you worship regularly with us and have a new address, a prayer request or a message for the pastor or the church office, you are welcome to use the visitor card to share that with us. Thank you! The back pews are reserved for families with small children.

A nursery is available in our multi-purpose room on the side of the Narthex.
Large-print bulletins are available from the usher.

The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

LWML Sunday – “Be Ready to Confess Jesus!”

Sunday, October 15, 2017

DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING ONE

2017 marks two significant anniversaries: the 500th anniversary of Luther’s posting of the 95 *Theses* and the 75th anniversary of the Lutheran Women’s Missionary League. Confessing the faith has not gotten any easier since these two events occurred. In fact, it may be more difficult to speak and to live as Christians now – and the future may even more challenging. Yet God is faithful and has promised that His church will survive all the trials that the devil, the world, and our own sinful flesh can throw at us. Building on God’s promises, we know that this is our time to be distinctly Lutheran. Since 1942, the LWML has affirmed each woman’s identity as a child of God and her relationship with Jesus Christ, encouraged and equipped Christian women to live out their lives in active mission ministries, and supported missions around the world through their sacrificial gifts of mites, tithes, offerings, and tireless service. Now is our time to “Be Ready to Confess!” faithfully and boldly of Christ’s redemptive work for us and for all the world.

Opening Hymn: “Christ Is Our Cornerstone” LSB 912

Confession and Absolution LSB 151

Hymn of Praise: “Glory Be to God the Father” LSB 506

Kyrie LSB 152

Gloria in Excelsis (spoken)

P: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.

C: Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father: We worship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people, making us ready to confess Jesus. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 8:54-61

Now as Solomon finished offering all this prayer and plea to the LORD, he arose from before the altar of the LORD, where he had knelt with hands outstretched toward heaven. And he stood and blessed all the assembly of Israel with a loud voice, saying, “Blessed be the LORD who has given rest to his people Israel, according to all that he promised. Not one word has failed of all his good promise, which he spoke by Moses his servant. The LORD our God be with us, as he was with our fathers. May he not leave us or forsake us, that he may incline our hearts to him, to walk in all his ways and to keep his commandments, his statutes, and his rules, which he commanded our fathers. Let these words of mine, with which I have pleaded before the LORD, be near to the LORD our God day and night, and may he maintain the cause of his servant and the cause of his people Israel, as each day requires, that all the peoples of the earth may know that the LORD is God; there is no other. Let your heart therefore be wholly true to the LORD our God, walking in his statutes and keeping his commandments, as at this day.”

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

The Psalmody (Psalm 46)

P: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

C: Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,

P: though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.

C: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High.

P: God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns.

C: The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; he utters his voice, the earth melts.

P: The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

C: Come, behold the works of the LORD, how he has brought desolations on the earth.

P: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; he breaks the bow and shatters the spear; he burns the chariots with fire.

C: “Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!”

P: The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

Epistle

2 Timothy 4:1-4

I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but

having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 10:26-33

P: The Holy Gospel According to Saint Matthew, the tenth chapter:

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

“So have no fear of them, for nothing is covered that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known. What I tell you in the dark, say in the light, and what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? And not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. But even the hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear not, therefore; you are of more value than many sparrows. So everyone who acknowledges me before men, I also will acknowledge before my Father who is in heaven, but whoever denies me before men, I also will deny before my Father who is in heaven.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

LSB 159

Children's Message

Sermon Hymn: “O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

LSB 733

Sermon

The League Pledge

P: “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.” (Hebrews 13:8)

C: In fervent gratitude for the Savior's dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have;

P: God has entrusted to His people the task of teaching all nations. We thank Him for the 75 years He has blessed the work of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League.

C: and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us.

P: That the joyous truth of the Gospel may be known in every generation;

C: We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His Kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life,

P: We are mindful of the shortness of time and uncertainties of life. Preserve our faithfulness and strengthen us for service in our communities and throughout the world.

C: to the great task of bringing the lost and the erring into eternal fellowship with Him. Amen!

Offering

Offertory: “Built on the Rock”

LSB 645

Prayer of the Church

Benedicamus

P: Let us bless the Lord!

C: Thanks be to God!

P: We are ready to confess Jesus,

C: The author and perfecter of our faith.

P: Who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross,

C: Despising the shame.

P: We are ready!

C: We are ready to confess Jesus. Amen!

Benediction

Closing Hymn: “*Jesus Shall Reign*”

LSB 832

Announcements

Postlude



Lutheran Women's Missionary League

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Mission: To assist each woman of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in affirming her relationship with the Triune God so that she is enabled to use her gifts in ministry to the people of the world.

LWML Sunday: In observance of LWML Sunday today, the Concordia Society is sitting together as a group. They invite you to join them with food and fellowship in the narthex immediately following the service. You have a chance to contribute to their society's many worthy projects. Baskets are provided on the food table for contributions. A special thank you to our guest speaker, Jarod Koenig, and Rev. Benkendorf for honoring our LWML with the special service. The quilts you see in the sanctuary and narthex are quilts that were made this past year by LWML members and guests to be shared around the world for Lutheran World Relief projects. Also, various LWML banners are on display, and are ones made by our society members and used at conventions in the past. The yellow mums placed by the Christ Candle and the Crucifix are in observance of LWML Sunday. Handouts explaining our LWML projects and mite boxes are also available in the narthex. We invite EVERYONE to take one and become familiar with what we are doing as LWMLers here at Concordia. And, we always welcome guests, and especially new members, to be part of our society.

Guest Speaker, Jarod Koenig, is the son of Brian and Dianna Koenig of Perryville. He is also the grandson of our own Ruby Koenig Steffens. Jarod is a 4th year seminarian at Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, and served his vicarage last year in Antigo, WI. He is married to Jennifer, and they have two children, Ben, age 6, and Bekah, almost 2. Jarod graduated from Saxony Lutheran High School in 2009, and earned a business degree from SEMO in 2013. He is very appreciative for the many donors and prayers supporters who have made his seminary journey possible, and is delighted to share the Word of God with us today in celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation and the 75th Anniversary of the LWML.

Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to all who have come to worship with us today. Building on God’s promises, we know that this is our time to be distinctly Lutheran. Since 1942, the LWML has affirmed each woman’s identity as a child of God and her relationship with Jesus Christ, encouraging and equipping Christian women to live out their lives in active mission ministries, and to support missions around the world through their sacrificial gifts of mites, tithes, offerings, and tireless service. Now is our time to “Be Ready to Confess!” faithfully and boldly of Christ’s redemptive work for us and for all the world. Hear the Word of the Lord.

A Word of God to chew on this week: ⁸*Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.* ⁹*Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world.* 1 Peter 5:8–9 (ESV) Think about it. Talk about it. Memorize it. Take this wonderful food from God, and let it strengthen you.

Participants in this Morning’s Service

- Greeters: Dennis and Diane Leimbach
- Organist: Barb Burroughs
- Acolyte: Cory Word
- Elder: Jeff Leible
- Ushers: Adam Lichtenegger, Jason Steffens, Dwayne Roth, Zachary Word
- Audio/Visual Team: Amy Birk, Beth Leible

This Week’s Schedule

Today, Oct. 15 (LWML Sunday) (Jarod Koenig, Guest Speaker)	After Worship	Youth Garden Table
	After Worship	Concordia Voters
Mon., Oct. 16	6 p.m.	<i>EPC Lady Wildcats’ Volleyball vs. St. Vincent, Perryville (Pink Out Game) (Away)</i>
	7:30 p.m.	Adult Choir
Tues., Oct. 17	6 p.m.	<i>EPC Lady Wildcats’ Volleyball vs. St. Paul, Jackson (Parents’ Night) (Home at APS)</i>
	7:30 p.m.	Dartball—Frohna at Scott City
Wed., Oct. 18	9 a.m.	Bible Study
	7 p.m.	Bible Study
Thurs., Oct. 19	6:45 p.m.	<i>UCLS Fall Informational Meeting at Trinity</i> <i>UCLS Board of Education Meeting to follow</i>
Fri., Oct. 20	6 p.m.	Concordia LYF hosts Foster Family Meal and Meeting
Sat., Oct. 21	5:30 p.m.	Worship, with Holy Communion, at Concordia
Sun., Oct. 22	8 a.m.	Bible Class
	9 a.m.	Worship, with Holy Communion
	After Worship	Door Offering for American Bible Society
	After Worship	Youth Garden Table
	1 p.m.	LWML Fall Rally at Immanuel, Perryville (Registration-12:30 p.m.)

Weekly Devotions (Pentecost 20)

Hymn of the Week

LSB 790

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King
of creation!

O my soul, praise Him, for He is your
health and salvation!

Let all who hear

Now to His temple draw near,

Joining in glad adoration!

Bible Stories

10/16 -- M: Genesis 35:1-15

10/17 -- Tu: Genesis 35:16-29

10/18 -- W: Genesis 37:1-36

10/19 -- Th: Genesis 39:1-23

10/20 -- F: Genesis 40:1-23

Bible Verse

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adversary the devil prowls around like a
roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.*

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Catechism

The Tenth Commandment and Meaning –
“You shall not covet your neighbor’s wife,
or his manservant or maidservant, his ox
or donkey, or anything that belongs to
your neighbor. *What does this mean?*
We should fear and love God so that we
do not entice or force away our neighbor’s
wife, workers, or animals, or turn them
against him, but urge them to stay and do
their duty.”

Announcements

New Members?: Are you interested in becoming a member, or know of somebody who is interested in becoming a member at Concordia? Please contact Pastor Benkendorf at 824-5435 or revbenkendorf@gmail.com. He will gladly and willingly talk to any, and all, who are interested in becoming members of Concordia, Frohna.

Church Attendance: Worship – 157, one year ago – 239; Adult Bible Class – 38, one year ago – 27

Flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God in thanksgiving for His many blessings and in celebration of the 45th wedding anniversary of Norman and Violet Hellwege.

Please pick up your Lutheran Witness today! – The October issue is still available on the north buffet.

“The Voice of Missouri” is available on-line at mo.lcms.org. Click on “Publications/E-News” and then “The Voice of Missouri” to locate recent weekly and monthly issues. (A printed copy of the September issue is still available on the south buffet in Concordia’s narthex for those who do not have internet access.)

A Door Offering for American Bible Society will be taken next Sunday, October 22.

Celebrate the Reformation! Concordia and Trinity will be celebrating the Reformation **together** on Sunday, October 29, at 9 a.m. at Concordia. This **joint** Reformation Service will include the Lord’s Supper. A **joint** Bible Study will precede worship at 8 a.m. Because of the Reformation, we look forward to celebrating **together as Lutherans** the grace God has given us in Christ Jesus.

LYF Notes

If you volunteered to help, or want to volunteer to help, with the Foster Parent Meal/Meeting this Friday, October 20, please **meet in the multi-purpose room for information after worship today, October 15.** If you cannot stay, please call Gina Wunderlich at 573-837-3484.

LYF-Sponsored Diaper Drive – October – Pull-Ups and wipes (preferred brands: Luvs, Pampers, Huggies, Wal-Mart, Dollar General)

The LYF will be doing concessions for the Leadbetter Auction on Sunday, October 29. **Donations of pies, coffeecakes, cookies, and brownies are being requested**, and may be dropped off in the multi-purpose room on Saturday, October 28. Please contact Gina Wunderlich at 573-837-3484 if you will be bringing a donation. **A BIG Thank You** for all the desserts donated and for everyone's support of the concession stand at the Bachmann Auction.

Trivia Night, sponsored by the youth group, will be Saturday, November 4, at 6 p.m. in the UCLS Gym. The doors will open at 5:30 p.m. Are you smarter than a high schooler? Get your team together, decide on a name, and contact Julie Petzoldt at 824-5774 or 573-225-3920, or e-mail her at juliepetzoldt@gmail.com to reserve a table. The cost is \$80 for a team of eight. Concessions will be available. A Silent Auction will be held. Proceeds will be for the 2019 Youth Gathering in St. Paul, Minnesota.

Saxon Lutheran Memorial Notes

“Thank You!” – The Apple Butter Cooking Committee for the Saxon Lutheran Memorial gives a big “thank you” to all who came to help cook apple butter and fill the jars. The finished product totaled 62 gallons. Thanks for all the donations and help.

Saxony Lutheran High School Notes

Saxony's Annual Fund-Raising Event, the Crusader Challenge, will be take place next week. Students will be selling poinsettias (junior class), Cardinal calendars (sophomore class), magazines (freshmen class), and trash bags (senior class). Contact a Saxony student for more details. A Kettle Beef Dinner (dine-in or carry-out) will be served next Sunday, October 22, from 12-3 p.m. The menu will include kettle beef, mashed potatoes, green beans, corn, rolls, and dessert. A Pulled Pork Supper (carry-out only) will be held Monday, October 23, from 4-7 p.m. Slaw and baked beans may also be purchased. A Smoked Chicken Supper (carry-out only) will be held Tuesday, October 24, from 4-7 p.m. The supper will include smoked chicken, scalloped potatoes, cinnamon apples, biscuit, and dessert. A Pork Steak Supper (dine-in or carry-out) will be held Wednesday, October 25, from 4-7 p.m. The menu will include pork steak, baked potato, corn on the cob, baked beans, Texas toast, and dessert. Each meal is \$10 for adults and \$6 for children 12 and under for the Kettle Beef, Smoked Chicken, and Pork Steak meals. (The Pulled Pork Meal will be sold as a meal, not per plate.)

Neighboring Church & Community Notes

Thank you! – Remember the story of the feeding of the 5,000? Well, the LLL Benefit Supper didn't quite serve 5,000, and didn't serve fish and bread; however, even with all the breakfasts, benefits, and Cape Fair, the supper did serve 353. What a “small” miracle with all that was going on! Each school will receive \$675 for their help. Thank you to Trinity, Altenburg, for the use of their facilities. Thank you for all the food donations from all the churches that participated. A special thanks to the chicken fryers and beef cookers, along with the two non-Lutherans who donated their time to benefit Lutheran education, and to all those who attended the meal. The 14th dinner will be September 9, 2018.

A Breakfast Buffet is today, October 15, with serving until 12 p.m. at St. Maurus Parish Center, Biehle. The menu includes pancakes, ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, German fried potatoes, milk gravy, biscuits, homemade coffeecake, orange juice, and coffee. The cost of the meal is \$7.50 for adults and \$4 for children ages 6-12.

The 59th Annual Wurst Mart is today, October 15, from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Gym, Jacob, Illinois. The all-you-can-eat dinner will include fresh whole-hog pork sausage, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut with backbones, green beans, applesauce, dessert, and drinks. The cost of the meal will be \$11 for adults and \$5 for children under 12. Fresh whole-hog sausage and liver sausage will be available until sold out. A silent auction, yard sale, and craft stands will be part of the Wurst Mart.

The Annual Harvest/Reunion Service is today, October 15, at 3 p.m. at Hill of Peace Lutheran Church, Friedenbergl. Rev. Dr. Daniel Harmelich will serve as the speaker. Refreshments will be served in the church hall following the service.

Laudamus, a select choir of seminarians, will host a concert tomorrow, October 16, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church and School, Jackson. (A Seminary admissions officer will also be available before and after the concert to meet with interested, prospective students.)

Flu vaccinations will be available this Wednesday, October 18, from 1-4 p.m. at Doctors Memorial Clinic, Frohna. Vaccinations for anyone over the age of 6 months will be available. The Perry County Health Department is providing this service. If you have any questions, please call the Perry County Health Department at 547-6564.

The 5th Annual Walk/Run for Life, hosted by Options for Women, will be this Saturday, October 21, at the Perry Park Center Pavilion. Registration begins at 8 a.m., and the walk/run begins at 9 a.m. The registration cost is \$25. Volunteers are needed to help with registration, water/food distribution, and traffic control. If you can help, please contact Sara Rahn at 883-1088 or 547-3800, or e-mail her at sararahn@optionsforwomenmissouri.com.

The Immanuel Lutheran School and Youth invite you to attend their Dinner Auction this Saturday, October 21, at the American Legion Hall. The doors open at 4:30 p.m., dinner will be at 6 p.m., and the oral auction will start at 7 p.m. There will be complimentary appetizers. The meal will include the choice of a New York Strip steak or Porterhouse pork chop dinner. The event will include oral, silent, and dessert auctions. Tickets are \$40 each, and are available at the church and school offices. Proceeds will benefit the Immanuel Lutheran Youth, School, and Church.

A Ham and Beans Dinner will be next Sunday, October 22, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at Eisleben Lutheran Church, Scott City. The menu for the all-you-can-eat dinner will include ham and beans, fried potatoes, yeast rolls, cornbread, slaw, homemade pie and cake, and drink. The cost of the meal will be \$8 for adults and \$4 for children ages 5-12. Proceeds from the dinner will benefit the window restoration project.

The Altenburg Zone LWML Fall Rally will be next Sunday, October 22, at 1 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Perryville. Registration will begin at 12:30 p.m. The theme for the rally is *"The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of God stands forever."* Isaiah 40:8. The speaker will be Bonnie Matzat who will portray Katie Luther. The ingathering will be for hurricane relief in Texas. (The money will be sent to Trinity Lutheran Church, Klein, Texas. They are serving 300 meals per day to people in need.) The collection will be for Hope Seeds, an organization who supplies seeds to the hungry and hurting in the world and teaches them how to raise their own food.

In celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation, St. Andrew Lutheran Church, Cape Girardeau (804 N Cape Rock Dr) will host **a showing of the film, "Martin Luther: The Idea that Changed the World"** next Sunday, October 22, at 2 p.m. in the worship center. The film tells the adventure story that was Martin Luther's life, following his bold quest for truth—a journey that would reshape the church and the world. Invite your neighbors and friends to this free movie showing and popcorn.

A Perry County Lutheran Chorale Concert, sponsored by Hanover's Old Church Committee, will be next Sunday, October 22, at 3 p.m. in the old Hanover Lutheran Church, in celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation. A free-will offering will be collected to benefit the chorale. Refreshments will be served in the fellowship room of the new church following the concert.

Does what a person believes about Creation matter? *Creation Matters: "Two Competing Views...One Compelling Truth: Is Genesis History?"* will be next Sunday, October 22, at 6 p.m. at the Zion Lutheran Church Hall, Longtown. Some view the Bible's opening book of Genesis as mythical, story-stuff. Or should we read it literally? Is the Biblical book of Genesis Real History?? This will be a fascinating new look at the Biblical, historical, and scientific evidence for Creation and the world-wide Flood. Learn from more than a dozen scientists and scholars as they explore the world around us in light of Genesis. The video will be viewed, and discussion will follow.

The LLL Men's Bible Retreat will be Friday-Sunday, October 27-29, at Camp SEMO, Wappapello. The program topic will be "*A Man Named Martin*", a DVD series about the life of Martin Luther—*The Man, The Moment, and The Movement*. The cost is \$50 per person for the entire weekend. Registration may be submitted by phone to Richard Schmidt at 824-5484 or by mail to Richard Schmidt, 469 PCR 328, Perryville, MO 63775 or to Harvey Loenneke at 243-2146 or by mail to Harvey Loenneke, 1350 Broadridge Dr, Jackson, MO 63755. Please include your name, address, and phone number. Checks may be made payable to: Altenburg/Cape Girardeau Zone LLL and sent to Harvey Loenneke before Tuesday, October 24.

The St. Paul Lutheran School 5K Reformation Run/Walk will be held Saturday, October 28, at 8 a.m. at the Jackson Civic Center. Registration for adults is \$30. Registration for children 12 and under is \$15. Registration forms can be found on-line at www.stpauljackson.com/5k. Proceeds will benefit the St. Paul Lutheran School Class of 2018, the Shwachman-Diamond Syndrome Foundation, and Dream Factory of Southeast Missouri. If you have any questions, or for more information, please contact Holly Schneider at 243-9249 or 573-200-0374.

The 500th Anniversary of the Reformation will be celebrated with two festival worship services – one on Saturday, October 28, at 6 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, Cape Girardeau, and one on Sunday, October 29, at 2 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Jackson. The Guest Preacher will be Dr. Gerhard Bode, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. Refreshments will follow each of the services.

The Immanuel Lutheran Church Ladies Aid Bazaar will be Sunday, October 29, at Immanuel Lutheran School, Perryville. The Kettle-Cooked Beef and Homemade Chicken and Dumplings meal will be served from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. The cost of the meal will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 6-12. Carry-outs will be available. Baked goods, handmade items, and crafts will be available for purchase at the Country Store.

The Fall Harvest Dinner will be Sunday, October 29, from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church, Gordonville. The menu will include turkey, gravy, mashed potatoes, dressing, smoked ham, green beans, corn, cranberry sauce, bread, dessert, and drink. The cost of the meal will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 5-12. Carry-outs will be available. Orders for thanksgiving turkeys will be taken at the dinner.

A "Reformation Concert", by the Perry County Lutheran Chorale, will be held on Sunday, October 29, at 2 p.m. at Salem Lutheran Church, Farrar. The concert will feature songs ranging from spirituals such as "*Walk Together Children*" and "*My Soul's Been Anchored in the Lord*" to familiar hymns such as "*All Glory Be to God on High*" and "*A Mighty Fortress*". Admission is free. A free-will offering will be taken in support of the chorale.